



Charming Alice Brady in "The Maids of Belgium"—not a war picture—at the Utah Theater beginning Sunday. Popular Plays and Play ers. Phone 3060.

LIZZIE'S CHAMPION SKATING DOG



This is Lizzie, the four-legged ice-skating champion of the world. Alfred Lizzie uses skates with double runners like little sleds. She has acquired speed but she is still rather awkward in figure skating. Shown here with her owner, Miss Dorothy Kiewer, at St. Nicholas Rink, N. Y.

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS AIDING THE WAR

Junior high school students are enlisted in the great Red Cross membership drive that now is occupying hundreds of patriotic men and women in Ogden and Weber county.

The following "paragraph statements," written by the pupils of the Ogden Junior high schools, are intended to boost the Red Cross drive by accurately defining the reasons and purposes for the nation-wide campaign. The students are between 10 and 16 years of age.

Help the Red Cross which is an agent of justice and mercy, by giving a present to humanity in the form of your membership.—Walter Cooley.

Contribute your dollar of your own free will, with the thought of "peace on earth, good will to men."—Elizabeth Kreines.

Your true friends know you love them without giving the little present this year. Spend your time knitting for the Red Cross, and give your dollar willingly. It will mean that you have dedicated your services to the Christian work of mercy, charity and brotherly love.—Lucille Olsen.

For this Christmas season, the thought of the people should not be of the gifts to friends and relatives, but rather of that organization which means mercy and charity for all. Let our Christmas motto this year be "Mercy, charity and brotherly love."—Mar Wallace.

Let mercy, charity and brotherly love temper the hatred and hard feelings which may have been caused during this great struggle.—Helen Cleveland.

The crusaders carried the Red Cross on the field of white. We can be crusaders today by becoming members of the Red Cross, which will send relief and mercy to the sufferers in Europe, as a Christmas gift from the land across the sea.—Carey Bennett.

The Red Cross represents charity, mercy and brotherly love. The crusaders used the Red Cross with a white field when they went to deliver the Holy City. We can be crusaders today by helping the Red Cross to fight the battle of "justice for all."—Earl Van Buskirk.

Let the Red Cross be an organization founded on the Christian principles of mercy, charity and brotherly love, and therefore the Christmas season is a fitting time for us to take part in the activities of this society in relieving suffering, sheltering the homeless, and helping to restore the true Christmas spirit.—Fred Thackwell.

Every true Christian knows the Red Cross emblem stands for the advancement of humanity, brotherly love, life, and mercy. There is no better time than Christmas for us to show our ideals of love and mercy by helping the poor and suffering in this time of war disasters. So let us contribute to the Red Cross and help to restore the Christmas motto: "Peace on earth, good will to men."—Herbert Adams.

It has been the custom to send gifts to friends and relatives at Christmas time, commemorating the giving of presents to Christ by the wise men. This gift to the Red Cross will be as giving to Christ himself for He said, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, ye have done it unto me."—Frances Coolidge.

Mercy, charity and brotherly love, the true essence of the Christmas spirit, are the high ideals of the Red Cross society. An organization of such character should receive our support.—Lucian Ray.

There are scores of others. These, however, are examples, selected at random. It would be a good plan to clip them out and reread them do as much as these students to boost the drive.

GEN. MORRISON BACK FROM FRANCE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—General Morrison has just returned from France, where he made an exhaustive study of the training in progress at the American army camps there.

The general is among the officers mentioned for chief of staff to succeed General Bliss, who retires December 31.

FASHION HINT



The frilly lace drop skirt and waist of this spring-y frock with the tunic effect in white taffeta, daintily draped on the sides, make it a stunner. The tunic is brocaded in orange flowers and the under-dress and waist are of silver lace.

AGED WOMAN'S TALE OF CRIME

Killed Her Son After He Had Murdered Grandson and Dismembered Body.

MONTROSE, Colo., Dec. 20.—In a talk with Under-Sheriff Beatty in the jail here today, Mrs. J. H. Bush, who yesterday told a coroner's jury she had killed her son, J. O. Bush, after the latter had killed her grandson, announced that her son is alive and will return to Olathe within three weeks.

This announcement was made by Beatty following a conference with the woman.

The coroner's verdict, made public today, held that Mrs. Bush, the boy, met death from an axe at the hands of his father, J. O. Bush, and that his grandmother, Mrs. Bush, was an accomplice.

MONTROSE, Colo., Dec. 20.—While Mrs. J. H. Bush, 72 years old, remained in jail here today, authorities were searching the Bush farm house and grounds, near Olathe, for evidence to substantiate Mrs. Bush's confession before a coroner's jury here yesterday that she had killed her son, John O. Bush, a farmer, after the latter had killed her 11-year-old grandson and dismembered the boy's body. The lad was Bush's own son.

Officers were puzzled by the fact that while they were able to find bones of the child in the farm yard today, no larger bones were found up to noon. A thorough investigation of Mrs. Bush's confession is under way.

Bush Does Awful Deed
Bush killed his son accidentally while administering punishment because the son had taken \$135 from Mrs. Bush's purse, according to Mrs. Bush's statement. Mrs. Bush said her son thereupon, forced her at the point of a rifle to assist in placing the body, after Bush had dismembered it, in a soap vat in which she had poured a quantity of lye. Later, according to the woman, after Bush had retired she killed him with an axe, took the body to the soap vat and disposed of it as she had seen Bush dispose of the boy. Mrs. Bush said she feared Bush would kill her.

ALIEN PROPERTY IS TO BE PROTECTED

Postmaster W. W. Browning has received instruction from Albert E. Burleson, postmaster general, as to the property rights of Austro-Hungarians in the United States. The instructions contain the following statement from A. Mitchell Palmer, alien property custodian:

Declaration of war with Austria-Hungary will not change the status of citizens or subjects of Austria-Hungary resident in this country. Such persons are not included within the term "enemy" as employed in the trading with the enemy act, and their property in this country will not be molested or interfered with in any way.

Deposits in the postal savings banks of the United States and deposits in other banks and banking institutions, belonging to citizens or subjects of the Austro-Hungarian empire, resident in this country, are not liable to seizure by the government and will not be taken into possession by the alien property custodian. There is no reason whatever why such persons should be concerned about their property, real or personal, or their funds in bank, or securities or other investments.

Under the trading with the enemy act the test of enemy character is one of residence and not nationality. The alien property custodian will take into his possession only the property in this country held for, or on account of, or for the benefit of persons who are actually resident within the enemy territory.

Buying for Christmas

Our line of Christmas needs, those articles of food that make the Christmas dinner complete, is one from which you can secure every essential at a price so low that there is no need of eliminating any special article that you desire. We have a complete stock of Christmas cakes, candies, figs, nuts, dates, fruits, raisins and have an excellent line of Christmas trees. We deliver your order absolutely free if it amounts to \$3.00 or more and make a nominal charge where lesser quantity is delivered. There is convenience in shopping at the American Grocery Company, where all articles are marked with prices plainly visible. You will find that our prices, some being listed below, will prove real means of saving.

COFFEE

We would like to have you test our Coffees. A demonstrator will be pleased to serve you at the store. We have made decided cuts on prices of coffee in cans because we KNOW our Coffees and have no fear of competition. Ask yourself the question—why pay 40 to 45 cents per pound for coffee in cans when you can buy coffee that is as good, and better, for at least 10c to 15c per pound less? Come to this store, taste this Coffee. You will recognize its merit.

TEAS

We also have a complete line of bulk Teas—a large enough line, a good enough line to satisfy the most fastidious taste. The prices are right—15 to 20 cents per pound below ruling prices.

SALMON

Pink, 1 pound tall, per can . . . 17c
Six cans for . . . \$1.00
Best red, 1 pound tall can . . . 25c
Six cans for . . . \$1.40

CHEESE

Best Idaho, per pound . . . 28c
Wisconsin full cream, per lb. . . 33c
Wisconsin cream brick, per lb. . . 38c
Blue Hill pimento cheese, each 10c
Blue Hill chili cheese, each . . . 10c
Domestic Swiss cheese, per lb. . . 40c

BUTTER

Per pound . . . 48c, 53c
Hess, 16-ounce loaf, per loaf . . . 9c
Hess, 24-ounce loaf, per loaf . . . 14c

MINCE MEAT

None Such, per package . . . 11c
Bulk, very good quality, per lb 18c

RAISINS

Fancy Cluster Raisins, one lb. carton . . . 25c
Six Crown layer raisins, very fancy, pound . . . 20c
Six Crown large raisins, in five pound boxes suitable for shipment . . . \$1.10
Seedless raisins, 15 ounce package . . . 12 1/2c

APPLES

Celebrated White Winter Banana apples, very fancy, per box . . . \$2.50
Extra choice, per box . . . \$2.40
Choice, per box . . . \$2.10
Fancy Jonathan apples, per box . . . \$1.25

NUTS

No. 1 soft shell California walnuts, per pound . . . 28c
Manchurian walnuts, per pound 20c
Mixed nuts, per pound . . . 20c

CANNED GOODS

Borden's condensed milk, 4 small cans . . . 25c
Borden's condensed milk, 12 small cans . . . 70c
CORN
Standard, per can . . . 11c
Six cans for65c
PEAS
Early June, per can . . . 15c

FIGS

Seven ounce package . . . 10c
Eight ounce package . . . 12c
Six ounce package, pressed . . . 10c
Sixteen ounce package, pressed 23c
Ten pound boxes, in wood, very fancy . . . \$2.25

SMOKED MEATS

Sweet pickle cured shoulder hams, per pound . . . 25c
Bacon, 8 to 10 pounds, choice per pound . . . 43c
Smoked bacon backs, per lb. . . 39c

FLOUR

High patent, 50 lbs., \$2.45; 100 pounds . . . \$4.85
Straight grade, 50 lbs., \$2.40; 100 pounds . . . \$4.75
Not more than 200 pounds to a customer.

SUGAR

BEST GRADE CANE SUGAR
In 2 1/2 pound packages, at . . . 24c
5 lb. package . . . 46c
10 lb. packages . . . 89c
25 lb. packages . . . \$2.20
Not more than 25 pounds to a customer.

RICE

Best grade head rice, or No. 1, Japan style, per pound . . . 8c
Per five pounds . . . 15c
Per ten pounds . . . 38c
Not more than 10 pounds to each customer.

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Fine local rurals, per 100 lbs. \$1.70

CATSUP

Blue Label, pints . . . 24c

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Wesson oil, small, per can . . . 36c
Medium, per can . . . 70c
Large, per can . . . \$1.35

FISH

Fresh smoked salmon, per lb. . . 28c
Kipper salmon, per pound . . . 33c
Very fancy Norway bloater, each . . . 13c
Best grade Holland herring, each . . . 5c
Best grade Holland herring, in kits of 30, per kit . . . \$1.40
Boneless lunch herring per lb. 25c

ASPARAGUS

Bear brand, No. 1, round can, per can . . . 13c
Large green, No. 2 1/2 can, per can . . . 28c

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CARDS SIGN WALLACE

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 19.—Bobby Wallace, veteran infielder, has signed with the St. Louis National league baseball club for the season of 1918, according to an announcement tonight by President Branch Rickey. Murphy Currie, pitcher, has joined the navy, the fourth man of the Cardinals to enter war service, according to Mr. Rickey.

EAGLES' GYM

Buy a membership in the Eagles' gym club as a Christmas present for your son. C. E. Carille, Manager.—Advertisement.

Christmas Suggestion

There could be no better Christmas present for a young man than a membership in the Eagles' gym. C. E. Carille.—Advertisement.

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